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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
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SERIAL NO: 10/676,051 :
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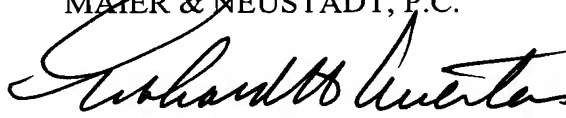
SIR:

In response to the Election Requirement dated July 18, 2008, Applicant elects, without traverse, inventions I, Claims 1-8 and 15-16, drawn to DCT and IDCT at different rate, classified in class 708, subclass 402. Further, Applicant elects Species I, Claims 3-4 direct to processing rate of $2M2L$ data per clock period for $4(N/M)*N/2L$ periods, for further examination on the merits. Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected species.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 3-4 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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